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**METHOD OF FORMING A TRENCH FOR USE IN MANUFACTURING A  
SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE**

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**AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

In response to the Office action of May 17, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.

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